NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE PROMULGATION

AGENCY:

Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. §§ 6172, 6192, and 6193

RULE PROMULGATION: DMR Regulation 95.04 YY, Closed Area No. 49-E, Mud Creek,

Lamoine

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.04 YY, Closed Area No. 49-E, Mud Creek, Lamoine

Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters or mussels taken from the shores, flats and waters of Mud Creek, Lamoine, Hancock County, westerly and inside of a line starting at a red-painted post on the western side of the mouth of Urann Cove (about 1400 feet from the Mud Creek Road culvert) and extending south across Mud Creek to a red-painted post on the southerly shore. This area is classified restricted and harvesting requires a special MDMR permit.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 19, 2006

EFFECTIVE TIME: 12:20 PM

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STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources promulgates the emergency DMR Regulation 95.04 YY, Closed Area No. 49-E, Mud Creek, Lamoine. This closes all shores, flats and waters of Mud Creek, Lamoine, to the harvesting of shellfish. This area is classified restricted and harvesting requires a special MDMR permit.

Department personnel have sampled and surveyed the flats and waters of Mud Creek, Lamoine and have determined that harvested shellfish are subject to intermittent microbiological pollution and are safe for restricted area harvest only.

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Legal Notice of Shellfish Closure Area





